

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Wolfgang STOLZ et al.

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For: OPTICALLY PUMPED SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES FOR THE GENERATION OF RADIATION, THEIR PRODUCTION AS WELL AS METHODS FOR THE STRAIN COMPENSATION IN THE LAYER

SUCCESSIONS USED WITHIN (as amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 25, 2006

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of the above-identified application, please amend the application as set forth below.

Amendments to the specification are submitted on page 2.

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Remarks are submitted on page 6.